UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

WENDY BIENVENIDA SILVERIO DE TAVAREZ,

20-cv-10627 (JGK)

ORDER

Plaintiff,

- against -

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

## JOHN G. KOELTL, District Judge:

By Order dated September 7, 2021, the Court referred this case to Magistrate Judge Gabriel W. Gorenstein.

To conserve resources, to promote judicial efficiency, and in an effort to achieve a faster disposition of this matter, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the parties must discuss whether they are willing to consent, under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), to conducting all further proceedings before the assigned Magistrate Judge.

If both parties consent to proceed before the Magistrate

Judge, counsel for the defendant must, by no later than October 7,

2021, file a letter with the Court, with an attached fully

executed Notice, Consent, and Reference of a Civil Action to a

Magistrate Judge form, the blank form for which is attached to

this Order (and also available at:

https://www.nysd.uscourts.gov/forms/consent-proceed-us-magistratejudge). If the Court approves that form, all further Judge rather than before me. Any appeal would be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

If either party does not consent to conducting all further proceedings before the assigned Magistrate Judge, defendant's counsel shall file a letter by no later than October 7, 2021 advising the Court that the parties do not consent, but without disclosing the identity of the party or parties who do not consent. The parties are free to withhold consent without negative consequences.

SO ORDERED.

Dated:

New York, New York September 7, 2021

John G. Koeltl

United States District Judge

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Plaintiff V.	) ) Civil Action No.	
Defendant	)	
NOTICE, CONSENT, AND REFEREN	NCE OF A CIVIL ACTION TO A MAGISTRAT	E JUDGE
all proceedings in this civil action (including a jury	A United States magistrate judge of this court is a or nonjury trial) and to order the entry of a final judge court of appeals like any other judgment of this court ntarily consent.	nent. The judgment
	I to a magistrate judge, or you may withhold your conswithholding consent will not be revealed to any judge	
	The following parties consent to have a United Sta, the entry of final judgment, and all post-trial proce	
Printed names of parties and attorneys	Signatures of parties or attorneys	Dates
	Reference Order	
IT IS ORDERED: This case is referred order the entry of a final judgment in accordance of	to a United States magistrate judge to conduct all pr	oceedings and
Date:	District Judge's signature	
	Printed name and title	

Note: Return this form to the clerk of court only if you are consenting to the exercise of jurisdiction by a United States magistrate judge. Do not return this form to a judge.